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HAVING RELATIVELY ELASTIC
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the final Office action dated December 7, 2007, please consider the following remarks and amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Listing of Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 7 of this paper

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including an added drawing figure is attached following page 14 of this paper.